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LETTER

FROM THE

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

(PURSUANT TO A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES)

A STATEMENT

RELATIVE TO

CLAIMS TO MILITARY BOUNTY LANDS,

FOR

SERVICES RENDERED DURING THE LATE WAR, &c. &c.

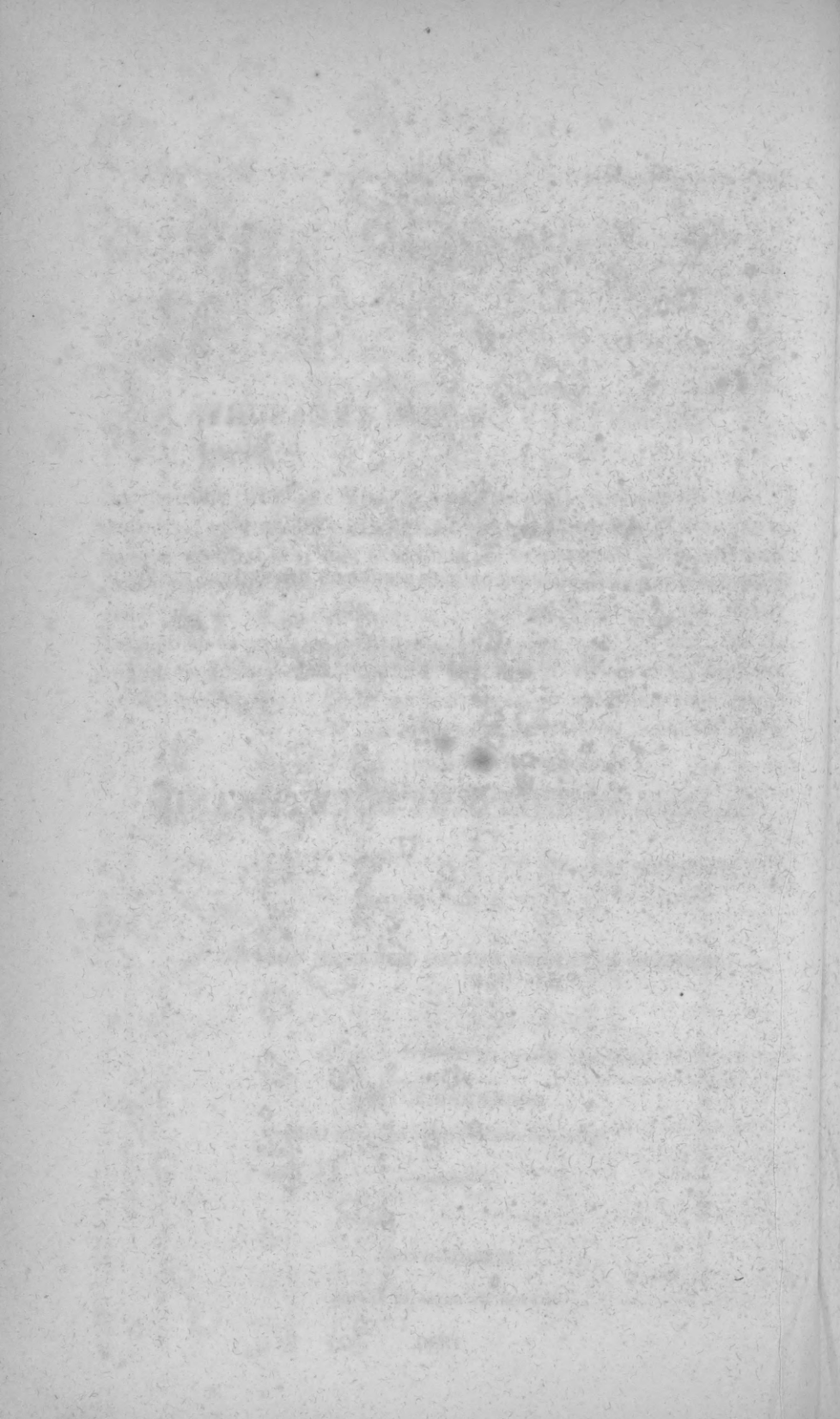
DECEMBER 5, 1820.

Read, and ordered to lie upon the table.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

December 1, 1820.

SIR: In obedience to a resolution of the House of Representatives, of the 28th ult. directing the Secretary of the Treasury to lay before that House "a statement of the number of claims to military bounty land, for services rendered during the late war, which remain unsatisfied; the aggregate amount of acres necessary to satisfy those claims; and the time when the lands will be ready to be distributed amongst the respective claimants;" I have the honor to submit the inclosed statement from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, which furnishes the information required.

I remain, with respect,

Your most obedient servant,

WM. H. CRAWFORD.

The Honorable JOHN W. TAYLOR,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

STATEMENT relative to Claims to Military Bounty Land, for Services rendered during the late War, made in pursuance of a resolution of the House of Representatives, dated 28th of November, 1820.

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						SINGLE BOUNTY.	DOUBLE BOUNTY.
Warrants issued by the War Department prior to the 30th November, 1820,	-					24,420	979
Patents have issued from the General Land Office for	-	-	-	-		19,114	664
Warrants remaining unsatisfied	-	-	-	-	-	5,306	315
Of which there are in the General Land Office, and which will be satisfied in the course of two or three months	-	-	-	-	-	3,060	129
Outstanding warrants	-	-	-	-	-	2,246	186
Viz. 2,246 of 160 acres each, is	-	-	-	-	-	359,360	
186 of 320 do. do.	-	-	-	-	-	59,520	
Acres necessary to satisfy them	-	-	-	-	-	418,880	
Single bounty warrants unsatisfied	-	-	-	-	-	5,306	
Double do. do. 315 equal to	-	-	-	-	-	630	
						5,936	

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There are lands ready for distribution that will satisfy 7,200 claims.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE, November 30, 1820.

JOSIAH MEIGS.